# Annual Report

of the

# Financial Affairs

of the

# Town of Effingham,

For the Year Ending

# Feb. 15, 1902.

Also Vital Statistics for 1901.

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# ANNUAL REPORTS

OF THE

# TOWN OFFICERS

OF THE

# Town of Effingham,

Comprising Those of the

Selectmen, Treasurer, Board of Education

and Library Trustees,

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# INVENTORY OF TOWN.

| | |
|---|---|
| 165 Polls, | $ 16,500 00 |
| Land and buildings | 165,843 00 |
| 209 Horses, | 9,256 00 |
| 24 Oxen, | 910 00 |
| 222 Cows, | 4,035 00 |
| 146 Other neat stock, | 2,727 00 |
| 34 Sheep, | 102 00 |
| 2 Hogs, | 20 00 |
| 1 Ass, | 15 00 |
| Stock in banks and other corporations, | 473 00 |
| Money on hand at interest, | 2,300 00 |
| Stock in trade, | 15,901 00 |
| Mills and machinery, | 6,150 00 |
| Locks and canals, | 2,500 00 |
| | $226,732 00 |

| | |
|---|---|
| Amount of taxes levied for all purposes, | $3,789 19 |
| Rate per cent., | 1 87 |

## AMOUNT RAISED BY TAXATION APRIL 1, 1901, BY VOTE OF TOWN, MARCH MEETING.

| | |
|---|---|
| For Town charges, | $ 500 00 |
| Highways, summer, | 1,000 00 |
| Highways, winter 1901-1902, | 300 00 |
| Schools, | 300 00 |
| Schools, by law, | 400 00 |
| Memorial day, | 15 00 |
| Public library, | 24 00 |
| Schools, school lot fund, | 40 00 |
| Ministerial fund, | 40 00 |
| County tax, | 599 25 |
| State tax, | 340 00 |

# SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

## TOWN OFFICERS' BILLS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Charles S. Miles, auditor, | $ 2 00 |
| Charles H. Stevens, auditor, | 2 00 |
| Daniel C. Gale, supervisor of check-list, | 4 00 |
| Charles H. Stevens, " " | 4 00 |
| Chester H. Drake, " " | 4 00 |
| John K. Meloon, town clerk, | 10 00 |
| F. W. Barker, treasurer, | 20 00 |
| Meloin H. Nutter, constable, | 8 00 |
| Josiah W. Thurston, school board, | 18 33 |
| Cyrus P. Keay, " " | 18 34 |
| Chester H. Drake, " " | 18 33 |
| Thomas F. Taylor, 1st selectman, | 42 00 |
| Edwin B. Glidden, 2d selectman, | 35 00 |
| Alonzo Keniston, 3d selectman, | 23 00 |
| F. W. Barker, treasurer school district, | 5 00 |
| J. W. S. Palmer, collector, | 39 00 |
| | $253 00 |

## TOWN PAUPERS.

| | |
|---|---|
| T. F. Taylor, wood for Geo. W. Kincaid, | $12 00 |
| C. H. Drake, supplies for Geo. W. Kincaid, | 16 17 |
| F. W. Barker, rent for Geo. W. Kincaid, | 12 00 |
| | $40 17 |

## COUNTY PAUPERS.

| | |
|---|---|
| C. H. Drake supplies for S. E. Davis, | 6 00 |
| A. J. Sanders, rent for S. E. Davis, | 6 00 |
| E. B. Andrews M. D., medical attendance on Mrs. Mary Cross, | 9 00 |
| | $21 00 |

## PAID RELIGEOUS SOCIETIES.

| | |
|---|---|
| J. B. Marston, C. B. Society, 1901, | $ 9 61 |
| I. S. Drake, 2nd F. B. Society in part, | 6 18 |
| I. J. Merry, 3rd F. B. Society, 1900, | 7 39 |
| H. W. Harmon, Congregational Society 1891 to 1901, | 42 45 |

| | |
|---|---|
| E. B. Glidden, Advent 1900-1, | $12 09 |
| | $77 72 |

## SUPPORT OF SCHOOLS.

| | |
|---|---|
| J. H. Wiggin, labor on school house at Effingham Falls, | $ 10 25 |
| J. M. Parsons, shingles for school house at Effingham Falls, | 18 04 |
| F. W. Barker, treasurer school district, school money for 1901, | 1097 40 |
| John E. Myers, school books 1899, | 57 57 |
| American Book Co., school books 1899, | 68 16 |
| American Book Co., school books 1901, | 60 99 |
| Josiah W. Thurston, supplies, | 15 56 |
| | $1,327 97 |

## DAMAGE BY DOGS.

| | |
|---|---|
| John K. Meloon two sheep and one lamb, | $8 00 |

## PAID ON TOWN NOTES.

| | |
|---|---|
| John T. Hodgdon, in part, | $200 00 |

## HIGHWAYS. BREAKING ROADS, WINTER 1900–1.

| | |
|---|---|
| R. O. Wentworth, | $ 95 |
| E. L. Canney, | 2 33 |
| J. B. Marston, | 50 |
| S. I. F. Rowe, | 3 28 |
| Charles Sprague, | 3 62 |
| C. L. Trafton, | 4 63 |
| A. J. Philbrick, | 10 75 |
| William Wentworth, | 2 00 |
| Isaac Keniston, | 2 12 |
| Randolph Keniston, | 1 87 |
| J. M. Drake, | 2 53 |
| C. H. Stevens, | 3 45 |
| F. H. Taylor, | 2 15 |
| Charles Lucas, | 4 50 |
| Fred Nelson, surveyor, | 6 87 |

| | |
|---|---|
| H. H. Glidden, surveyor, | $38 31 |
| Aldo Meloon, " | 18 96 |
| C. S. Meloon, " | 29 26 |
| F. W. Barker, " | 65 11 |
| I. S. Drake, " | 16 32 |
| Leonard Shaw, " | 18 28 |
| T. F. Taylor, " | 37 15 |
| | $274 94 |

SUMMER, 1901.

| | |
|---|---|
| C. H. Drake, nails and spikes, | $ 80 |
| I. S. Drake, nails and spikes, | 59 |
| S. O. Huckins, bridge plank, | 18 11 |
| F. C. Glidden, bridge plank, | 16 31 |
| T. F. Taylor, plank and labor, | 5 51 |
| J. M. Drake, plank and labor, | 6 68 |
| V. B. Glidden, drawing plank, | 2 75 |
| C. P. Keay, loam, | 5 00 |
| E. B. Glidden, labor, | 37 |
| J. P. Glidden, labor 1900, | 6 71 |
| A. H. Davis, labor, | 7 43 |
| Seth J. Philbrick, surveyor, | 19 07 |
| H. H. Glidden, " | 111 89 |
| Jackson Shaw, " | 49 92 |
| C. S. Miles, " | 130 01 |
| J. W. S. Palmer, " | 66 55 |
| Aldo Meloon, " | 123 22 |
| L. C. Holmes, " | 107 38 |
| Charles Lucas, " | 51 58 |
| G. F. Drake, " | 47 68 |
| C. H. Stevens, " | 46 89 |
| | $824 45 |

MISCELLANEOUS BILLS.

| | |
|---|---|
| G. S. Door, printing reports, | $22 00 |
| T. F. Taylor, parts for road machine, | 9 50 |

| | |
|---|---|
| Edson C. Eastman, supplies for selectmen's office, | $ 9 29 |
| F. W. Barker, am't raised for Decoration Day, | 15 00 |
| J. M. Champion, am't raised for Public Library, | 24 00 |
| A. N. Fould, M. D., reporting births and deaths, | 25 |
| F. S. Weeks, M. D., reporting births and deaths, | 75 |
| J. M. Leavitt, M. D., reporting births and deaths, | 2 00 |
| J. K. Meloon, recording marriages, births and deaths, | 4 65 |
| R. M. Fulton, repairs on road machines, | 1 50 |
| A. H. Davis, housing snow roller, | 1 50 |
| F. A. Carnes, housing snow roller, | 1 50 |
| N. H. Watson. housing snow roller, | 1 50 |
| Ivory Varney, housing snow roller, | 1 50 |
| Annah M. Taylor, housing snow roller, | 1 50 |
| Ira Drake, housing snow roller, | 1 50 |
| I. S. Drake, moving and oiling snow rollers, | 3 54 |
| T. F. Taylor, postage and express, | 1 28 |
| T. F. Taylor, wood for town hall, | 4 00 |
| | $106 76 |
| State tax, | $ 340 00 |
| County tax, | 599 25 |
| Whole amount of expenditures, | $4,073 26 |

# TREASURER'S REPORT

RECEIPTS YEAR ENDING FEB. 15, 1902.

| | |
|---|---|
| Received of F. W. Barker, treasurer 1900, | $ 673 64 |
| J. K. Meloon, dog licenses, | 73 20 |
| State treasurer, savings bank tax, | 201 35 |
| " literary fund, | 58 14 |
| " school fund, | 181 61 |
| Mrs. Abbie Wedgwood, Kincaid land, | 40 00 |
| E. B. Glidden, Isaac Thurston land, | 15 00 |
| A. M. Thompson, tax for 1897-8, | 11 68 |
| Est. Seth Hatch, tax for 1900, | 11 16 |
| Joseph Glidden, tax for 1898, | 5 75 |
| L. B. Merrill, pedler's license, | 5 00 |
| County for support of paupers, | 12 00 |
| J. W. S. Palmer, collector 1898, | 4 78 |
| " " " 1899, | 24 00 |
| " " " 1900, | 50 54 |
| " " " 1901, | 3,540 52 |
| | $4,908 37 |

DISBURSEMENTS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Town officers' bills, | $ 253 00 |
| Town pauper bill, | 40 17 |
| County pauper bill, | 21 00 |
| Support of schools, | 1327 97 |
| Breaking roads, winter 1900-1, | 274 94 |
| Highways, summer 1901, | 824 45 |
| Miscellaneous bills, | 106 76 |
| Paid on town notes, | 200 00 |
| Damage by dogs, | 8 00 |
| Religious societies, | 77 72 |
| State tax, | 340 00 |
| County tax, | 599 25 |
| Cash to balance, | 835 11 |
| | $4,908 37 |

FRANCISCO W. BARKER, TREASURER.

# AUDITORS' REPORT.

## LIABILITIES.

### DUE ON TOWN NOTES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Due John K. Meloon, | $340 79 |
| B. F. Taylor, Heirs, | 43 59 |
| S. A. Meloon, | 183 31 |
| Eunice Demeritt, | 146 12 |
| John T. Hodsdon, | 511 01 |
| Joseph B. Marston, | 498 07 |
| Elizabeth Bickford, | 49 48 |
| | $1,772 37 |

### RELIGEOUS SOCIETIES.

| | |
|---|---|
| First F. W. Baptist, | $ 1 04 |
| Second " | 5 00 |
| Third " | 9 09 |
| Fifth " | 10 29 |
| Universalist, | 1 28 |
| | $26 70 |

### SCHOOLS.

| | |
|---|---|
| From dog tax, | $ 57 20 |
| State fund, | 181 61 |
| | $238 81 |
| Whole amount of liabilities, | $2,037 88 |

### ASSETS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Taxes bid off by town 1895, | $ 41 89 |
| " " 1896, | 5 37 |
| " " 1897, | 75 00 |
| " " 1898, | 54 08 |
| " " 1899, | 42 56 |
| " " 1900, | 41 44 |
| " " 1901, | 100 26 |
| | $360 60 |

## DUE FROM COLLECTORS.

| | |
|---|---|
| T. F. Taylor, collector for 1894, | $ 2 02 |
| J. W. S. Palmer, collector for 1899, | 12 00 |
| " " 1900, | 42 00 |
| " " 1901, | 100 00 |
| | $156 02 |
| On C. P. Kimball note, | $ 184 72 |
| Cash in hands of treasurer, | 835 11 |
| Whole amount of assets, | $1,536 45 |
| Town debt, | $501 53 |

## ABATEMENTS, 1898.

| | |
|---|---|
| Will Smith, 1898, | $ 2 72 |
| Bert Clough, poll 1898, | 1 96 |
| | $4 69 |

### 1900.

| | |
|---|---|
| Chas. Nichols, horse taxed in Ossipee, | $ 74 |
| F. E. Bradbury, poll, | 1 86 |
| Wm. Demeritt, poll paid in Mass., | 1 86 |
| | $4 46 |

### 1901.

| | |
|---|---|
| Elizabeth Brown, error, | $2 51 |
| Mary Philbrick, horse, | 41 |
| J. M. Drake, error, | 3 34 |
| J. L. Demeritt, error, | 3 34 |
| Wm. Kennett, " | 6 68 |
| T. F. Taylor, " | 61 |
| Asa Varney, | 3 34 |
| Chas. Andrews, horse, | 51 |
| Ed. Tibbetts, poll, | 1 67 |
| | $22 41 |

## PUBLIC WATER.

| | |
|---|---|
| C. K. Champion, | $1 00 |
| J. W. Champion, | 1 00 |

| | |
|---|---|
| J. V. Granville, | $3 00 |
| B. F. Lear, | 3 00 |
| Sam'l Meloon, | 1 50 |
| W. F. Davis, | 1 50 |
| Jeremiah Nason, | 3 00 |
| J. M. Leavitt, | 3 00 |
| T. F. Taylor, | 1 50 |
| I. Rowe, | 1 50 |
| J. B. Murphy, | 1 50 |
| Chester H. Drake, | 3 00 |
| S. J. Philbrick, | 1 50 |
| | $26 00 |

# REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY.

RECEIPTS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Cash in treasury Feb. 15, 1901, | $15 12 |
| Received from town treasurer, | 24 00 |
| | $39 12 |

EXPENDITURES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Paid librarian | $26 00 |
| For books, | 6 09 |
| Cash on hand, | 7 03 |
| | $39 12 |

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE.

We the undersigned, Auditors of the town of Effingham, having this day examined the accounts of the Selectmen and Treasurer hereby report that we find them correctly cast and supported by proper vouchers.

CHARLES H. STEVENS, }
CHAS. S. MILES, } Auditors.

Effingham, Feb. 18, 1902.

# SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT.

RECEIPTS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Rec'd of C. F. Rowe, treasurer 1900, | $128 95 |
| Town treasurer, amount raised by law, | 400 00 |
| " " vote, | 300 00 |
| " school lot fund, | 40 00 |
| " unexpended dog tax, | 70 00 |
| " literary fund, | 58 14 |
| " state school fund, | 229 36 |
| | $1226 45 |

EXPENDITURES.

PINERIVER SCHOOL.

| | |
|---|---|
| Paid May L. Chadborn, teaching 10 weeks, | $70 00 |
| G. Alta Meserve, teaching 17 weeks, | 119 00 |
| J. M. Drake, wood, | 3 50 |
| R. M. Wilkinson, wood, | 3 50 |
| | $196 00 |

MOUNTAIN SCHOOL.

| | |
|---|---|
| Paid Grace Paige, teaching 25 weeks, | $175 00 |
| Alonzo Keniston, cleaning house, | 1 50 |
| | $176 50 |

FALLS SCHOOL.

| | |
|---|---|
| Paid Kate E. Barker, teaching 25 weeks, | $175 00 |
| Mrs. Martha Stillings, cleaning house, | 3 00 |
| Aldo Meloon, wood, | 7 00 |
| | $185 00 |

LORD'S HILL SCHOOL.

| | |
|---|---|
| Paid Bernice E. Mills, teaching 9 weeks, | $ 63 00 |
| May L. Chadborn, teaching 16 weeks, | 112 00 |
| Richard Dearborn, wood, | 10 00 |
| | $185 00 |

## CENTER SCHOOL.

| | |
|---|---|
| Paid Mabel C. Taylor, teaching 25 weeks, | $175 00 |
| Paid C. F. Rowe, wood, | $ 8 00 |
| | $183 00 |

## SOUTH EFFINGHAM.

| | |
|---|---|
| Paid Pearle W. Smith, teaching 13 weeks, | $91 00 |
| | $91 00 |

## SIMON HILL SCHOOL.

| | |
|---|---|
| Paid Mrs. S. J. Philbrick, teaching 10 weeks, | $ 60 00 |
| Mrs. Mabel Avery, teaching 14 weeks, | 84 00 |
| Mrs. Mabel Avery, conveying scholars, | 5 00 |
| A. J. Philbrook, wood, | 4 00 |
| S. J. Philbrook, conveying scholars, | 4 75 |
| | $157 75 |

## MISCELLANEOUS BILLS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Ossipee school district for tuition, | $14 00 |
| C. H. Drake, supplies, | 5 65 |
| C. P. Keay, supplies, | 92 |
| J. W. Thurston, supplies, | 2 18 |
| J. L. Demeritt, supplies, | 98 |
| | $23 73 |

| | |
|---|---|
| Whole amount of expenditures, | $1197 98 |
| Cash on hand to balance, | 28 47 |
| | $1,226 45 |

F. W. BARKER, Treasurer.

## AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE.

We the undersigned, Auditors of the town of Effingham, having this day examined the accounts of the Treasurer of the School District hereby report that we find them correctly cast and supported by proper vouchers.

CHARLES H. STEVENS,
CHAS. S. MILES, } Auditors.

Effingham, Feb. 18, 1902.

# SCHOOL STATISTICS.

| Name of School | Term | Name of Teacher | Wages per Month | Length of Term in Weeks | Average Membership | Number not Absent | Number in Reading | Number in Spelling | Number in Penmanship | Number in Arithmetic | Number in Geography | Number in Grammer | Number in History | Number in Physiology | Number in Algebra | Number in Book-keeping | Number in Composition | Number of Pupils | Number not Tardy |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mountain | 1 | Miss Grace Paige | $28 | 10 | 25 | 8 | 22 | 22 | 18 | 18 | 9 | 9 | 7 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 22 | 8 |
| | 2 | " " | 28 | 15 | 24 | 12 | 24 | 24 | 24 | 20 | 15 | 12 | 12 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 24 | 12 |
| Lord's Hill | 1 | Miss Bernice E Mills | 28 | 9 | 13 | | 14 | 14 | 14 | 8 | 7 | 7 | 5 | 3 | 2 | | | 14 | |
| | 2 | Miss May L Chadbourn | 28 | 16 | 13 | | 15 | 15 | 13 | 13 | 7 | 7 | 5 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 2 | 15 | |
| Simon Hill | 1 | Mrs. Seth J Philbrick | 24 | 10 | 9 | | 9 | 9 | 7 | 6 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 10 | | | | 10 | |
| | 2 | Mrs. Mabel Avery | 24 | 14 | 9 | | 10 | 10 | 9 | 7 | 5 | 5 | 5 | | | | | 10 | |
| South Effingham | 1 | Miss Pearl W Smith | 28 | 10 | 12 | 4 | 14 | 14 | 13 | 9 | 7 | 5 | 5 | 6 | | 2 | | 14 | |
| | 2 | " " | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Pineriver | 1 | Miss May L Chadbourn | 28 | 10 | 12 | 5 | 13 | 13 | 12 | 7 | 3 | 5 | 2 | 3 | | | 2 | 13 | 5 |
| | 2 | Miss G Alta Meserve | 28 | 17 | 9 | 1 | 15 | 15 | 8 | 11 | 4 | 6 | 4 | 4 | | | 6 | 15 | 1 |
| Centre | 1 | Miss Mabel C Taylor | 28 | 10 | 15 | 4 | 15 | 15 | 13 | 12 | 10 | 8 | 7 | 5 | | | 4 | 15 | 4 |
| | 2 | " " | 28 | 15 | 16 | 1 | 16 | 16 | 14 | 14 | 10 | 9 | 9 | 2 | 1 | | | 16 | 1 |
| Falls | 1 | Miss Kate E Barker | 28 | 10 | 15 | | 15 | 15 | 15 | 15 | 15 | 10 | 2 | 3 | 1 | | | 15 | |
| | 2 | " " | 28 | 15 | 14 | | 15 | 15 | 15 | 13 | 13 | 3 | 2 | 5 | | | 15 | 15 | |

N. B.—Of the second term at South Effingham, twelve weeks were under direction of Parsonsfield and three by Effingham, no register being furnished Effingham.

# Vital Statistics

for the

# Year 1901.

# BIRTHS, 1901.

| Date of birth, 1901 | Jan 18 | Jan 29 | March 7 | Apr 13 | Apr 27 | Apr 30 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Place of Birth | Effingham | Effingham | Effingham | Effingham | Effingham | Effingham |
| Name of the Child (if any) | Ralph K Hussey | Warren Judkins | Guy E Nicklin | Helen Littlefield | Oscar H Drake | Clyde K Nichols |
| Male or Female | Male | Male | Male | Female | Male | Male |
| Living or Stillborn | Living | Living | Living | Living | Living | Living |
| Number of Child | Third | Second | Tenth | Second | First | Eighth |
| Color | White | White | White | White | White | White |
| Name of Father | Joseph Hussey | George Judkins | Ernest Nicklin | Crosby D Littlefi'd | Chester H Drake | Charles A Nichols |
| Maiden Name of Mother | Mary Tarbox | Nellie J Andrews | Cora Smith | Cora W Wilkinson | Grace Ward | Emma Williams |
| Color of Parents | White | White | White | White | White | White |
| Residence of Parents | Effingham | Effingham | Effingham | Effingham | Effingham | Effingham |
| Occupation of Father | Farmer | Farmer | Mill Spinner | Farmer | Merchant | Farmer |
| Birthplace of Father | Limerick Me | Dover N H | England | Effingham | Effingham | Ossipee |
| Birthplace of Mother | Parsonfield Me | Freedom N H | Effingham | Effingham | Freedom | Moultonboro |
| Age of Father | 30 | 48 | 30 | 25 | | 46 |
| Age of Mother | 29 | 21 | 35 | 25 | | 41 |

| Date of Birth 1901 | June 5 | June 6 | Oct 22 | Nov 28 | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Place of Birth | Effingham | Effingham | Effingham | Effingham | | |
| Name of the Child (if any) | Ralph O Linscott | | Beryl Sprague | Morris J Drake | | |
| Male or Female | Male | Male | Female | Male | | |
| Living or Stillborn | Living | Living | Living | Living | | |
| Number of Child | Second | Sixth | Seventh | Second | | |
| Color | White | White | White | White | | |
| Name of Father | Lorenzo Linscott | George A Stevens | Charles A Sprague | Irving S Drake | | |
| Maiden Name or Mother | Cora Stillings | Ida M Williams | Annie Fernald | Mary Wood | | |
| Color of Parents | White | White | White | White | | |
| Residence of Parents | Effingham | Effingham | Effingham | Effingham | | |
| Occupation of Father | Laborer | Laborer | Farmer | Merchant | | |
| Birthplace of Father | Cornish | Dover | Shapleigh | Effingham | | |
| Birthplace of Mother | Effingham | Moultonboro | Richmond | Freedom | | |
| Age of Father | 26 | 5 | 32 | 30 | | |
| Age of Mother | 25 | 5 | 35 | 28 | | |

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JOHN K. MELOON, TOWN CLERK.

# MARRIAGES, 1901.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Groom | Horatio W Tripp | John E Blake | Charles Edwards |
| Bride | Saddie Devine | Nellie A Carlin | Augusta West |
| Residence of groom | Parsonsfield Maine | Brownfield Maine | Effingham N H |
| " bride | Cornish Maine | Effingham N H | Shapleigh Maine |
| Age of each | 27—31 | 38—31 | 35—20 |
| Color of each | White | White | White |
| Occupation of groom | Farmer | Farmer | Lumberman |
| " bride | Housekeeper | Housework | Housekeeper |
| Birthplace of groom | Brownfield Maine | Brownfield | Effingham N H |
| " bride | Conish Maine | East Cambridge Mass | Shapleigh Maine |
| Marriage of each | First—Second | First—First | Second—First |
| By whom married | William H Cutting | Newton Clough | John M Drake |
| Residence | Effingham N H | Brownfield Maine | Effingham N H |
| Official station | Clergyman | Minister of the Gospel | Justice of the Peace |
| Date of marriage | March 12 | August 28 | October 21 |
| Place | Effingham | Brownfield Maine | Effingham N H |
| **GROOM'S PARENTS** | | | |
| Father's name | George Tripp | Benjamin Blake | Charles Edwards |
| occupation | Farmer | Farmer | Farmer |
| birthplace | Hiram Maine | Brownfield Maine | Parsonsfield Maine |
| Mother's name | Abigall Tripp | Mary E Blake | Mary J Edwards |
| occupation | Housekeeper | Housekeeper | Housekeeping |
| birthplace | Brownfield Maine | Lowell Mass | Ossipee N H |
| **BRIDE'S PARENTS** | | | |
| Father's name | William Whitham | Dennis Carlin | George W West |
| occupation | Farmer | Farmer | Farmer |
| birthplace | Cornish Maine | Boston Mass | Newfield Maine |
| Mother's name | Isabella Lowell | Caroline Carlin | Frances West |
| occupation | Housekeeper | Housekeeper | Housekeeper |
| birthplace | Hiram Maine | Newport N H | Newfield Maine |

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JOHN K. MELOON, TOWN CLERK.

# DEATHS, 1901.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Date of death, 1901 | Feb 12 | Feb 17 | Apr 20 | June 23 | Sept 2 |
| Place of Death | Effingham | Effingham | Effingham | Effingham | Effingham |
| Name and Surname of deceased | Alice M Davis | Ella Marston | Vennie B Thompson | John V Granville | Nellie G Kincard |
| Age | 29 yrs. 18 days | 46 yrs 3 days | 3 yrs. 3mos. 24 days | 78 yrs. 5 mos. 27 days | 47 yrs. 5 mos. 27 days |
| Place of birth | Tuftonboro | | Nashua | Effingham | Hiram |
| Male or Female | Female | Female | Female | Male | Female |
| Color | White | White | White | White | White |
| Single, married or widowed | Married | | Single | Married | Single |
| Occupation | Housewife | | | Farmer | Artist |
| Birthplace of Father | Ossipee | | Effingham | Parsonsfield | Whitefield |
| Birthplace of Mother | Tuftonboro | | Effingham | Parsonsfield | Hiram |
| Name of Father | Peletiah T Staples | | Algernon M Thompson | Stephen Granville | George W Kincaid |
| Maiden Name of Mother | Eliza A Sullivan | | Alice A Davis | Annie Huckins | Patience M Hartford |
| Cause of death | Extra Uterine Pregn'y | Pulmonary Phthisis | Pulmonary Phthisis | Strangulation | Surgical Operation Sh |
| Occupation of Father | Shoemaker | | Carriage Painter | Millman | Marble Maker [oek |
| Physician reporting death | Frank S Weeks | Geo W Lougee | Geo W Lougee | Geo W Lougee | Albert N Gould |

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Date of Death 1901 | Sept 8 | Nov 5 | Dec 16 | | |
| Place of Death | Effingham | Effingham | Effingham | | |
| Name and Surname of deceased | Mattie C Littlefield | Catherine Marston | Susan Jane Bickford | | |
| Age | 51 yrs. | 85 yrs. 10 mos. 13 days | 24 yrs, 4 days | | |
| Place of birth | Parsonsfield | Parsonsfield | Dover | | |
| Male or Female | Female | Female | Female | | |
| Color | White | White | White | | |
| Single, married or widowed | Married | Widowed | Married | | |
| Occupation | Housekeeper | Housekeeper | Housewife | | |
| Brithplace of Father | Parsonsfield | Parsonsfield | Epping | | |
| Birthplace of Mother | Parsonsfield | Scarboro | Saulsbury | | |
| Name of Father | Trueworthy Palmer | Jonathan Piper | Jackson Shaw | | |
| Maiden Name or Mother | Jane | Polly Burbank | Eliza J Stevens | | |
| Cause of Death | Creeping Palsy | La Grippe | Tuberculosis of Bowels | | |
| Occupation of Father | Farmer | Farmer | Stone Mason | | |
| Physician reporting death | J M Leavitt | J M Leavitt | F S Weeks | | |

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JOHN K. MELOON, TOWN CLERK.